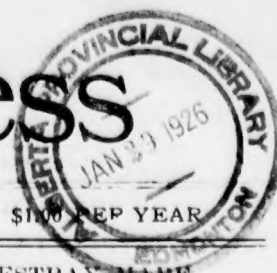


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## LOCALETS

The War of the Roses is being repeated in the school factions of the Lomond Consolidated School District. Rose No. 1 held its annual meeting on the 9th. and elected their trustees in the persons of Jos. Rodgers for Rolling Prairie and John R. McKay for Ocean Wave. This faction is holding out on the legal point that the chairman of the board had no authority within his office to postpone the annual meeting, as he did do. Rose No 2 held its meeting on Friday, the 15th., electing for trustees Paul Ost in Rolling Prairie and C. F. Koch in Ocean Wave. Each Rose considers the other a pack of thorns. In addition to this the eligibility of Thos. Chapman to hold office for Deepwater is being contested on the grounds of non-residence. So, W. B. Manning is sitting pretty all by himself till the Department steps in and tells us where to get off. The financial statement appears on another page and shows that the district can operate without financial worry till the mid-summer term is completed.

Edward Root and family had a narrow escape when their house burned down. Ed. had just effected a purchase of the W. A. Smith farm but a few days previous and the house thereon was one of the best in the country. The fire must have originated in the cellar, as the whole interior partition fabric was afire when they became aroused. They were barely free from the building when the chimney and center floor collapsed. They saved no clothing and even lost the three sets of work harness which were under repair in the basement. Friends at Travers and Lomond are helping the family to get re-established.

The death occurred on Friday, January 8th., at the residence of H. N. Hanna, of Morton Hamilton Hanna, aged 36 years. Deceased had been suffering almost complete paralysis for months, gangrene setting in at the last. His condition was

a direct result of an injury to the spine upon being thrown from a sleigh when thirteen years of age. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the United Church, High River, interment being made in the family plot at High River. H. N. Hanna and A. R. Hanna attended the funeral.

The annual meeting of ratepayers of the Municipal District of Clifton, No. 127, will be held in Vickers' Hall, Lomond, on Saturday, February 20th., 1926, commencing at one o'clock in the afternoon. Nominations will be received for the office of councillor in Divisions 1, 3, 4 and 6. S.G. Thurlow, returning officer, will preside.

The Minister of Municipal Affairs exercised the authority within his office and instructed the Village Council to call a second meeting of ratepayers and secure formal nominations for the 1926 councillors. This second meeting convened on Monday night, the result being a roster of candidates sufficient for the holding of a poll. The voting will be held from 2:00 to 9:00 p. m. on Monday, the 25th. The candidates are, W. B. Manning, H. N. Hanna, W. J. Clements and J. H. Williamson.

The Ladies' Aid Society at its meeting held on Wednesday afternoon decided to stage a Valentine concert in Vickers' Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 12th. You are admonished to keep this date open, as a most varied and entertaining program is being prepared.

The Lomond Agricultural will endeavor to meet the public with a second annual entertainment production which will be bigger and better than ever. The committee has not yet announced the date nor the nature of the program.

As will be noticed among the advertising columns, Joseph Rodgers has taken out a provincial auctioneer's license and is prepared to handle auction sale business.

Rev. Brundage is meeting encouraging response in his

fortnightly services in the Lomond Church. Last Sunday evening lantern slides illustrating the United Church missionary enterprise the world over were exhibited. The next service will be January 30th.

E. E. Haley shipped two cars of cattle to Calgary last Saturday and rode the peak of the recent high market. He and Mrs. Haley were in Calgary for the U. F. A. convention.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
H. West desires to publicly tender thanks to all the neighbors and friends who so kindly helped him and his children during the period the children were so seriously ill, and particularly to acknowledge the services of Dr. and Mrs. Steele.

## ESTRAY MARE

Bay mare, four white feet and white strip, about 1250 lbs., 7 years, been running with my bunch a couple of months. — Arza Johnson.

## FOR SALE

One black and white holstein cow, with calf, now milking. Mares and geldings from 1 to 10 years of age.

One registered "bay star" Clydesdale Stallion, broken to work all-around, will range, perfectly gentle.

\$5.00 Reward will be paid for recovery of one all-black mare, aged, about 1400 lbs., branded on left thigh V H F. Was grazing on the Stone Lease.

— George Whitley.

## Shipping Hogs

I will be loading a car of hogs for shipment from Lomond on Friday, the 29th., and will be in Lomond on Tuesday, January 26th., to meet any persons who have hogs to sell. Be sure and see me if you have porkers to turn into cash.

E. G. HALEY.

## Lake McGregor Coal

Best Seam of Coal in the Valley, and a Good Supply Mined Ahead.

GET YOUR SUPPLY IN  
BEFORE SPRING  
OPENS

Armstrong & Corkish

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## The Lomond Press

LOMOND ALBERTA

Published Every Friday.  
Advertising Rates on Application.

RAE L. KING, PROP

LOMOND, ALBERTA, DEC. 22, 1926

### LOCALETS

The Lomond Wheat Pool Association is holding its annual meeting in the Municipal Office this afternoon, January 22nd.

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A meeting of the Lomond Local U. F. A. will be held on Saturday afternoon, January 23rd.

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Carman Haley and Miss Talbot, of Travers, were recently married. Carman has been in Calgary taking a barber school course, and on February 1st will open up the Orbie Baker pool room with three tables and a barber chair.

Mr. and Mrs. Haley will reside in Lomond.

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C. R. Lawson has purchased the Hughes' Drug Store building and has moved his family into the suite of rooms upstairs. He is shelving up the store and will open up in the hardware and tinsmithing business.

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### CARD OF THANKS

The Sunday School and Ladies' Aid officers desire to thank all those who assisted in the arrangements and in the carrying through of the Christmas entertainment.

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The various rabbit drives in the vicinity of Lomond have netted nearly a car load of carcasses. The first drive at Ost's netted nearly three hundred.

### Buildings for Sale

If you want to buy buildings, houses, granaries, barns, etc., at ridiculously low prices, you can call and see me. I have listings on a large number of such buildings.—E. G. HALEY.

### Notice of Auction Sale

A large combination sale is being arranged to take place in Lomond on Saturday, March 25th. George Whitley is organizing the sale and is open to accept listings of Horses, Cattle, Machinery, Etc., to March 10th., when the advertising matter will be posted.

There is to be a big drive south of C. F. Koch's on Saturday. The riders will assemble at Koch's for one o'clock.

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W. H. Smith has moved his implement office to the Phillips lot on main street, extending the size and fixing things up for his hardware business.

On, a farmer at Taber, Alberta, is glad he went into sugar beet raising. He secured a \$350 return from three and one-half acres of land.

Winter sport activities at old Quebec are in full swing. This is considered the most brilliant season of entertainment for years past. Hundreds of sport enthusiasts and tourists from the New England states, Canada, and other parts of the continent are turning up in force at the Ancient Capital.

Miss Isabel Coursier, only nineteen years of age, is the world's woman champion ski jumper. She created a world record at Revelstoke, B.C. at the age of sixteen in 1922. This winter, taking part in the winter sports at Quebec, Miss Coursier made a jump of 83 feet in the International-Intercollegiate Ski contest.

## See Banff Winter Carnival February 3rd. to 17th.

Two Weeks of Fun—Dazzling, Delightful and Wholesome—with Gorgeous Scenic Setting in the

### Canadian PACIFIC ROCKIES

SKI-ING	SNOWSHOEING	HOCKEY
SKI-JORING	TOBOGGANING	CURLING
SKATING	TRAP-SHOOTING	SWIMMING
SLEIGHING	PACKING	DANCING

100-Mile Dog Derby for Strongheart Trophy

### FARE AND ONE THIRD

FOR THE ROUND TRIP

From ALL STATIONS in ALBERTA and BRITISH COLUMBIA; REVELSTOKE and EAST—

On Sale Feb. 6 to 13

GOOD RETURNING to FEBRUARY 18, 1926.  
Full information from the TICKET AGENT.



Counter Check Books.—The Press.

## Another Year's Business

January 31st. will be the end of our business year and we take this opportunity to thank our many customers and friends for their generous patronage and support during the past year. Business has been trying at times, but we have endeavored to serve you to the best of the advantages available. We anticipate your continued patronage.

## Elliott, Argue & Co.



## LOCALETS

Born, at Travers, on Sunday January 10th., to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewis, a son.

"Bob" Cant is away on a trip to the Atlantic Coast, making New York his headquarters.

Frank Aseltine has been in Calgary undergoing an operation for the removal of his tonsils.

Concluding that there was an element of doubt in respect to the evidence submitted, the charge of theft of a colt against Harry Halbgewaks brought by Robt. McKinnon, was dismissed. Jos. Rodgers and R. L. King, J.Ps., presided. The hearing of the case elicited a great deal of interest. A brand is, by law, an evidence of ownership, so the possession of the colt reverts to Halbgewaks.

A decision was recently handed down by Judge McDonald, of the District Court, Lethbridge, allowing the appeal of A. H. Watson, of Lomond, with all costs, against the decision of Stanley Clarke, J.P., on the charge of selling hail insurance without a license. The case arose through evidence in the form of affidavits secured from W. J. Brotherhood and Otto Johnson and forwarded to the Inspector of Insurance by H. E. Elves and Phil. Frost. A visit was paid to Lomond by Inspector Bruce, the information laid and the case called on less than an hour's notice. The affidavits were not submitted in open court, but a technical interpretation of the Insurance Act was pressed by Bruce and

# Lomond Consolidated School District No. 20

## Financial Statement and Annual Returns for the Year 1925

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
Cash on hand January 1st.	\$ 825.24	Teachers' Salaries	84386.70
Current Taxes	2191.92	Notes and Interest	395.02
Arrears Taxes	847.06	Officials' Salaries	395.00
From Municipality and Village	3864.65	Repairs on Buildings	35.95
Government Grants	2336.80	Grounds, Etc.	74.75
Borrowed on Notes	300.00	Furniture	3.25
Tuition Fees	252.00	Supplies, Stationery, Postage	554.04
Sale of Buildings	50.00	Caretaking	733.65
Overpayments	94.76	Fuel	130.34
Exchange, Etc.	5.00	Conveyance	452.26
		Taxes	37.42
		Rent	78.00
		Tuition Fees	101.50
		Commissions to Municipalities and Village	193.27
		Overpayments	61.76
		Grants to 1924 Christmas Tree	12.10
		Livery	2.50
		Sundries	22.25
Total Cash Receipts	\$10,767.43	Total Cash Payments	\$7,579.86

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Taxes Uncollected, including arrears	\$6338.34	Secretary's Salary	\$ 30.00
Due from Municipality	4745.03	Overpayments	34.00
Due from Village	2781.48	Taxes	16.00
Tuition Fees	48.00	Lomond Press	8.00
Rent paid in Advance	6.00	Conveyance	581.75
Land and Buildings	7000.00	Tuition Fees	48.00
Furniture, Apparatus, Etc.	2700.00	Coal	207.20
Library and Reference Books	100.00	Cheques Outstanding	533.03
Cash on Hand and in Bank	3740.60		
TOTAL	\$27459.45	TOTAL	\$1457.98

### PARTICULARS OF ASSESSMENT

Total Assessable Area ..... 37,439.13 acres.  
Total Assessed Value ..... \$488,944.92  
Rate of Taxation ..... 9 1/2 mills.  
Exact cost of operation of school for the year ..... \$7518.10  
Insurance on Buildings and Equipment ..... \$8700.00—  
Policy Expires September 3rd., 1926.

### BALANCES FORWARD

Net Balance as at December 31st., 1925	\$3187.57
Actual Bank Balance	\$1827.87
Outstanding Cheques	533.03
	1294.84
Cash on Hand	1912.73
	\$3187.57
	\$3187.57

I hereby certify that the above information is in accordance with the books and records of the Lomond Consolidated School District, No. 20, of the Province of Alberta, and from the information given me I believe the same to be correct.

RAE L. KING, Official Auditor.

Lomond, 15th. January, 1926.

## Jos. Rodgers Licensed Auctioneer

Sales will handled in any part of the Province. Terms reasonable. See me personally, or dates can be arranged at THE LOMOND PRESS OFFICE.

### HERBERT J. MABER

BARRISTER AND  
SOLICITOR

VULCAN ALBERTA

### DR. N. D. STEELE, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND  
SURGEON

LOMOND Alberta

## SEND YOUR Shoe Repairs

to the Vulcan Shoe Hospital.  
Good Work and Materials  
Guaranteed.

H. DAINES, Prop.

a conviction registered, carrying a twenty dollar fine. The point contended was "that it is not within the law for an individual or institution loaning money for insurance premiums, even where the protection of said policy is being assigned to the lender, to dictate or recommend how or where the insurance is to be placed." Johnson and Brotherhood had arranged for Elves and Frost to place the insurance. Watson recommended them to King, they admitting in their evidence their willingness to accept same. The case precipitated a precedent, and the decision of Judge McDonald was anxiously awaited by insurance and financial interests, as under such an interpretation the good will of business relationships would necessarily be "mum" and void.



## Warning to Users of Radio

### ALL RADIO RECEIVING SETS MUST BE LICENSED

Penalty on summary conviction is a fine not exceeding \$50

License Fee \$1.00 per annum

Licenses, valid to 31st March, 1926, may be obtained from:- Staff Post Offices, Radio Dealers, Radio Inspectors, or from Radio Branch, Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.

The proceeds from license fees are used to control broadcasting and to improve broadcast reception conditions.

A. JOHNSTON,

Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

# Notice! - - - In New Premises

I am not leaving Lomond, nor quitting the hardware business. You will find me in my own building moved to the former L. H. Phillips location. Just to show that I am still in the game **ALL HARDWARE PRICES ARE SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCED** for next two weeks.

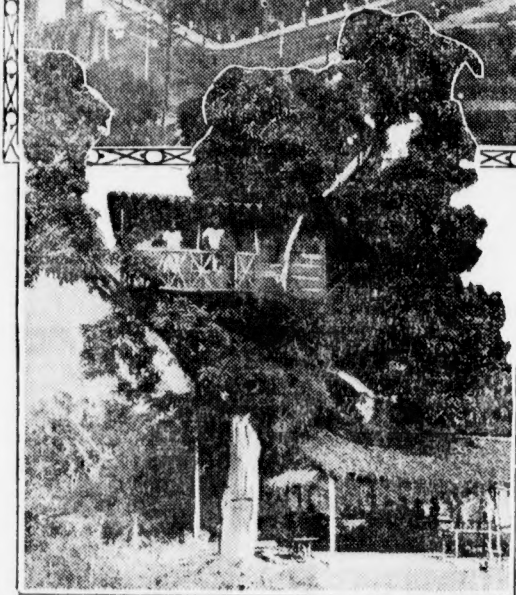
Get your spring machinery repair list lined up.

**I. H. C. IMPLEMENTS** **W. H. Smith** **HARDWARE**

## From Winter's Bite To Summer's Glow



President's Palace and new Plaza at Havana.



Manila-Filipino tree hut near Guadalupe.

She slips out of New York harbor and the Statue of Liberty fades into the wintry mists behind her. It is the good ship Montroyal of the Canadian Pacific Line on her first trip of the season to the West Indies and it is midwinter with all the harshness of that time of year apparent. Icy gusts and cold snow falling into the water where ice is floating. In every way the prospect is uninviting and the passengers are below decks in the warmth of well-lighted, gay salons and cabins. A little over twenty-four hours of sailing elapses, and what a change! We are back in the good old summer time.

Small islands pass and reefs so close on either hand that a golf ball thrown from the deck might waken the dormitory of lazy gulls. In the distance there develops like a smoke pall, an immense range of mountains, and it is sunrise over a calm sea steeped in the glories of color almost beyond imagination, while the air is so warm that the lightest of summer clothing is de rigueur.

The landfall grows, as it were, and stands smiling at us. Gliding smoothly along, one feels minute, with

the insignificance of a fly on a floor, gazing at a huge piece of a gilded brown color, so marked are the indentations shadowing the island's precipitous sides—all jags and points.

The little town on the island is hidden with an African shyness, among palm trees. Some fine buildings, church and government, offset the mile upon mile of negroes' wooden habitations that persist until the foothills of the island's watershed backbone; from below, so solemn in its eminence; from above, so impracticable in its crenellations, gullies and rifts. Through the crazy interior splash threading streams and frothy torrents over rocky shelves often garlanded with greenery and rare fronds.

To the north-west where the mountain turbulence subsides, the serried ranks of the sugar-cane are marshalled as far as the eye can see, and banana trees grow in the rich red loam. Ginger roots, the sprouting pineapple, and tobacco are cultivated; but the genial heat of the sun aiding and abetting native indolence, breeds theft and petty larceny. So sugar is this island's staple industry. Permission to view a sugar-mill can be obtained. Nor should the experience be missed. The bundles of sugar cane, loaded with sap, are run up an endless sliding band, to be crushed in a mangle, the stems coming out in dry shreds, the rich juices flowing away to the circulators, large drum containers and copper kettles that boil it. Then vanes, revolving internally, whisk the juice at high velocity thus crystallizing it to the consistency seen in bowls at the breakfast table. A by-product of the process, once thrown away, now as important as its parent industry, is the well-known West Indies rum.

Down grassy slopes by the northern shore where a sea of crystal blue cleanses a strip of shining sand, bathers swim for hours, unwilling to leave the pleasant warmth of the water for the slightly cooler outside air.

Leaving New York on January 28 for the West Indies the Canadian Pacific Liner Montroyal makes fifteen ports of call before returning thirty days later. The Montroyal makes a second trip to the West Indies, taking in different ports, leaving New York March 1 and returning March 30. Shore excursions are arranged for ports where interesting sights may be taken in.

## LOCALETS

Born, at Lomond, on Friday, January 1st., to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gaunt, a daughter.

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Born, at Lomond, on Saturday, January 16th., to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ost, twin boys.

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The next meeting of the council of the Municipal District of Clifton, No. 127, will take place in the Municipal Office, Travers, on Saturday, February 6th., commencing at 10:00 a.m.

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The scarlet fever epidemic is apparently well under control, as no new cases have been reported within the past two weeks. The West and Whitley children are well on the way to recovery from complications following the fever, but little Harry Barnett is fighting hard against acute bright's disease, resulting from the fever. He is more than holding his own.

The Travers district is demonstrating its independence by breaking out in a smallpox epidemic. Inspector Jenkins of the Health Department accompanied Dr. Steele on an investigation and found the disease to have been existent but unreported for more than a month.

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The death occurred Christmas Day of Roy Elvin Hanna, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Hanna. Death was the result of bronchial croup. An attempt was made to get the child to the Lethbridge hospital, hoping that an operation would relieve the strangulation, but the boy died in the car at the door of the hospital. The burial took place in the Lomond cemetery. The family home was under quarantine with scarlet fever at the time.